

No. 5:24-CV-512-M-KS

ORDER

for failure to state a claim upon which relief can be granted. The motion to dismiss has the potential to terminate the action in its entirety, and it does not appear that discovery is necessary to a proper resolution of the motion to dismiss.

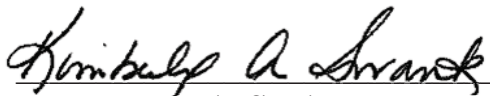
For these reasons and having considered the grounds for dismissal raised by Defendant, the court finds good cause to stay discovery in this action.

CONCLUSION

The court hereby ORDERS as follows:

1. Defendant's motion to stay [DE #30] is GRANTED, and discovery is hereby STAYED pending the court's resolution of Defendant's motion to dismiss [DE #17]. If Defendant's motion to dismiss is denied in whole or in part, the parties shall, within twenty-one (21) days thereafter, conduct a discovery conference and submit a joint Rule 26(f) report for the court's consideration.
2. Plaintiff's request for sanctions [DE #35] is DENIED.
3. Plaintiff's motion to expedite proceedings and for scheduling order [DE #14] is DENIED as moot.
4. Defendant's motion to expedite motion to stay discovery [DE #38] is DENIED as moot.
5. Plaintiff's motion to compel discovery [DE #41] is DENIED as moot.

This 15th day of April 2025.


KIMBERLY A. SWANK
United States Magistrate Judge